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In re Application of: Brian P. DWYER *et al.*

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For: **WATER-SOLUBLE, FLUORESCENT, &
ELECTROPHORETICALLY MOBILE
PEPTIDIC SUBSTRATES FOR
ENZYMATIC REACTIONS AND
METHODS FOR THEIR USE IN HIGH-
THROUGHPUT SCREENING ASSAYS**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

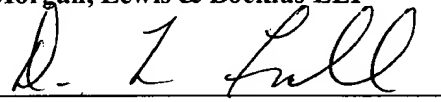
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It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated February 23, 2005, be extended for a period of three (3) months, from May 23, 2005 to August 23, 2005.

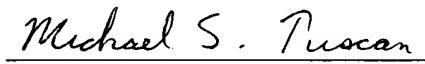
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